

Liber N N Now here at this day to witt the thirteenth day of April Anno
One thousand Six hundred Seventy Six came the Said Richard
Meekins by his Attorney aforesaid but the said Andrew came not to
prosecute the plaint aforesaid Therefore it is granted by the Court
here that the Said Richard recover against the Said Andrew the
Summe of Eight hundred fifty One pounds of tobacco for his costs
and charges in this behalfe laid Out & expended and the Said Andrew
in mercy for his false claime.

Andrew Insley } Richard Meekins of Dorchester County planter
ag^t } was attached to answer unto Andrew Insley of
Richard Meekins } the said County planter in a plea that he render
unto him foure hundred and fifty pounds of to-
bacco which he oweth and unjustly deteineth.

p. III Whereupon the aforesaid Andrew Insley by George Thompson his Attorney saith that the said Richard Meekins the first day of March One thousand Six hundred Seventy three by his certaine bill Obligatory which he the Said Andrew Insley with the seale of the aforesaid Richard Meekins Signed here in Court brings whose date is the same day and yeare by which the said Meekins did acknowledge himself to owe unto the said Andrew Insley his heirs or assigns the just summe of foure hundred and fifty pounds of tobacco due to be paid at or upon the tenth of November next ensueing the date thereof and that the said payment might well & faithfully be made the aforesaid Meekins did Oblige his heirs and assigns by the said bill Notwithstanding the said Richard Meekins though often demanded the aforesaid foure hundred and fifty pounds of tobacco to the said Andrew Insley he hath not as yet rendered it but the same to him hitherto hath denyed to pay and yet denyeth whereupon he Saith he is damnified and hath damage to the value of Eight hundred pounds of tobacco and thereupon he bringeth his action.

And the said Richard by Robert Carville his Attorney comes and defends the force & injury when &c and Saith that he the said Andrew his action aforesaid against him ought not to have because he saith he paid to him the Said Andrew the summe of foure hundred & fifty pounds of tobacco in full for the Said bill in the declaracon aforesaid and this he is ready to averr and prayes judgment if the Said Andrew his action aforesaid against him Ought to have.

And the said Andrew saith that he Ought not to be debarred of his action aforesaid because he saith the said Richard hath not paid the said Andrew the Said Summe of four hundred and fifty pounds of tobacco in manner and forme as is above declared against him and of this he prayes the judgment of the Court.

Now here at this day to witt the thirteenth day of April in the first
year of the Dominion of Charles Lord Baltemore &c Annoq̃ Dom̃
One thousand six hundred Seventy six Came the said Richard